

CHAPTER 206

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 134 OF THE PUBLIC-LOCAL LAWS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1913, RELATIVE TO THE RECORDER'S COURT OF CHOWAN COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That chapter one hundred and thirty-four of the Public-Local Laws of the extra session of one thousand nine hundred and thirteen be and the same is hereby amended by adding a new section, known as "Section sixteen A" (sec. 16a), as follows:

Recorder *pro tem.* "Section Sixteen A (Sec. 16a). That the county commissioners of Chowan County shall appoint a recorder *pro tem.*, who shall preside in the absence of the recorder, and shall exercise the same powers and receive the same compensation as the recorder, which amount shall be deducted from the salary of the recorder. C. S. Vann is hereby appointed recorder *pro tem.*, and shall sit as recorder *pro tem.* until his successor is appointed and qualifies."

Appointment.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 9th day of January, A. D. 1917.

CHAPTER 207

AN ACT LEVYING A ROAD TAX ON PERSONS, PARTNERSHIPS OR CORPORATIONS HAULING LUMBER IN TYRRELL COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Tax rate. SECTION 1. All persons, partnerships, or corporations hauling lumber or other heavy material over the roads of Tyrrell County shall pay a tax of two cents per mile for each thousand feet of lumber so hauled.

Sworn reports. SEC. 2. Such lumber hauled shall be reported to the chairman of the board of county commissioners each month upon oath. For failure to make such reports, the person, partnership, or corporation so failing shall be fined fifty dollars (\$50).

Penalty for failure.

Exemption. SEC. 3. This shall not apply to persons hauling lumber for their own plantation use.

Use of tax. SEC. 4. Such taxes shall be applied to the roads of the township in which the lumber is hauled.

SEC. 5. This act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 9th day of January, A. D. 1917.